

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend the Claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A pillow cover, comprising:

~~at least one~~ a first side comprising an outer and an inner surface;

~~at least one~~ a second side comprising an outer and an inner surface;

~~said first and second sides being affixed together along two~~ first and second adjacent edges thereof; and,

~~at least one~~ a first detachable securing means for detachably securing said ~~at least one~~ first side and said ~~at least one~~ second side ~~together~~ along third and fourth adjacent edges thereof, wherein said first detachable securing means is a hook-and-loop fastener disposed along at least a portion of said inner surfaces of said first and second sides, adjacent to said third and said fourth edges thereof.

2. (Currently Amended) A pillow cover, comprising:

~~at least one~~ a first side comprising an outer and an inner surface;

~~at least one~~ a second side comprising an outer and an inner surface;

said first and second sides affixed along first and second adjacent edges thereof;

~~at least one~~ a first detachable securing means for detachably securing said ~~at least one~~ first side and said ~~at least one~~ second side ~~together~~ along third and fourth adjacent edges thereof; and,

~~at least one~~ a drawstring mechanism disposed through a channel formed along said first, second and third edges of said first side, wherein said drawstring exits through a first and a second end of said channel, wherein said first and said second end of said channel are disposed proximate to said fourth edge of said first side.

3. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 1, further comprising a second detachable securing means disposed over at least a portion of said outer surfaces of said first side or said second side.

4. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 3, wherein said second detachable securing means of a first pillow-filled said pillow cover is detachably securable to said second detachable securing means of at least one other pillow-filled said pillow cover, thereby providing a bolster or other cushioned support.

5. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 3, wherein said second detachable securing means is a hook-and-loop fastener.

6. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 1, further comprising a second detachable securing means disposed along at least a portion of said outer surfaces of said first side or said second side adjacent to at least one of said edges thereof.

7. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 6, wherein said second detachable securing means of a first pillow-filled said pillow cover is detachably securable to said second detachable securing means of at least one other pillow-filled said pillow cover, thereby providing a bolster or other cushioned support.

8. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 2, wherein said first detachable securing means is a hook-and-loop fastener disposed along at least a portion of said inner surfaces of said first and second sides, adjacent to said third and said fourth edges thereof.

9. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 2, further comprising a second detachable securing means disposed over at least a portion of said outer surfaces of said first side or said second side.

10. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 9, wherein said second detachable securing means of a first pillow-filled said pillow cover is detachably securable to said second detachable securing means of at least one other pillow-filled said pillow cover, thereby providing a bolster or other cushioned support.

11. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 9, wherein said second detachable securing means is a hook-and-loop fastener.

12. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 2, further comprising a second detachable securing means disposed along at least a portion of said outer surfaces of said first side or said second side adjacent to at least one of said edges thereof.

13. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 12, wherein said second detachable securing means of a first pillow-filled said pillow cover is detachably securable to said second detachable securing means of at least one other pillow-filled said pillow cover, thereby providing a bolster or other cushioned support.

14. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 2, wherein pulling of said drawstring results in constriction of said first, second and third edges of said first side and said second side, thereby constricting said first and said second side around a pillow disposed therebetween.

15. (New) A pillow cover, comprising:

a first side comprising an outer and an inner surface;

a second side comprising an outer and an inner surface;

said first and second sides affixed along first and second adjacent edges thereof;

a first detachable securing means for detachably securing said first side and said second side along third and fourth adjacent edges thereof, wherein said first detachable securing means is a hook-and-loop fastener disposed along at least a portion of said inner surfaces of said first and second sides, adjacent to said third and said fourth edges thereof; and,

a second detachable securing means disposed over at least a portion of said outer surfaces of said first side or said second side.

16. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 15, wherein said second detachable securing means of a first pillow-filled said pillow cover is detachably securable to said second detachable securing means of at least one other pillow-filled said pillow cover, thereby providing a bolster or other cushioned support.

17. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 15, wherein said second detachable securing means is a hook-and-loop fastener.

18. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 15, wherein said second detachable securing means is disposed along at least a portion of said outer surfaces of said first side or said second side adjacent to at least one of said edges thereof.

19. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 15, further comprising a drawstring disposed through a channel formed along said first, second and third edges of said first side, wherein said drawstring exits through a first and a second end of said channel, wherein said first and said second end of said channel are disposed proximate to said fourth edge of said first side.

20. (New) The pillow cover of Claim 19, wherein pulling of said drawstring results in constriction of said first, second and third edges of said first side and said second side, thereby constricting said first and said second side around a pillow disposed therebetween.